

AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

TO: FRUITA CITY COUNCIL AND MAYOR

FROM: DEPUTY CITY CLERK DEB WOODS ON BEHALF OF COUNCILOR AMY

MILLER

DATE: MARCH 28, 2023

AGENDA TEXT: PROCLAMATION REQUEST: 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE MESA COUNTY

RETIRED & SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM (RSVP), INC. AND THE

VOLUNTEERS OF THE GRAND VALLEY

BACKGROUND

Councilor Amy Miller received an email request from Dave Carlo, Executive Director of Mesa County RSVP, Inc. requesting the Fruita City Council to issue a Proclamation in recognition of RSVP's 50th Anniversary and the volunteers of the Grand Valley.

RSVP, Inc. is a 501(c)3 charitable organization in Mesa County that works with thousands of volunteers to place them in opportunities that strengthen the community by addressing local needs. The program is funded by donations from individuals and businesses, grants and in part through AmeriCorps Seniors. RSVP works in partnership with over 50 local organizations to fill essential positions with volunteers aged 55 and over.

This is an opportunity for the City Council and Mayor to review the Proclamation provided by Mr. Dave Carlo and discuss the possibility of issuing such a Proclamation at the upcoming April 18, 2023 Regular City Council meeting (since April is nationally recognized as "Volunteer Month)."